in London, Baron Hayashi, Mr. Matsui, | grain tax, the likin, the customs, the opium first secretary of the Japanese legation, | tax and miscellaneous imports. The largest who was interviewed this afternoon, made | items are the land tax, which brings volved. He said: "Russia's insistence, yield \$12,000,000. In the opinion of the for-China's helplessness and the probable vic- | eigners who have participated in the distory of Russian diplomacy to-morrow will | cussion the land tax could be doubled or bring us to the brink of a dangerous situa- | tripled without much hardship, and the tion in which none of the powers is so salt tax could be raised from \$6,000,000 to deeply concerned as Japan. Even if the \$20,000,000. It is believed the total increase secret treaties have been modified, as is | could be made to amount to \$150,000,000. If, | Former Says He Is Not Trying to Setalleged, the Chinese are so trifling as to then, the imperial expenses could be remake the documents thoroughly objection- duced to \$45,000,000, there would be left able to Japan. Assuming that China signs | available for the liquidation of the interest the treaties, I suppose that Great Britain. on loans and the indemnity fund the sum Germany and the United States will pro- of \$105,000,000. Making allowances, it would test to Russia. But that is about as far | be possible to pay the indemnity within as they will go and about as much as twenty years. they will get. With Japanese it is a mat-

"The question is whether we are to fight Russia now or to fight her later on. She has no right to Manchuria, and if she secures Manchuria she will be on the way eyes are wide open and it will not be driven to precipitate action of the jingoists of Japan, who are openly clamoring for Immediate war. Yet, if it sees that war is unavoidable it will not hesitate to strike. Japan has no reason to be afraid as to the result. Many reasons occur to the average Japanese mind in favor of forcing at the present moment a struggle which must come eventually. The hief reason against so doing is the fact that Japan is just beginning a new industrial cra which would be temporarily killed should we endeavor by force of arms to prevent Russian encroachments. If we follow the lead of other powers and do not threaten hostilities we realize that we must sit down tamely and see any other nation step Missionary Society, who, as announced in avert the strike and are putting forth our in to make agreements similar to those which China seems on the verge of signing with Russia. This would mean the partition of the Chinese empire and the end the 'open door.' If we opposed it we naturally think we would have the moral support of the United States, which has been the champion of these principles, and also of Great Britain and Germany.

POLICING OF LEGATIONS. International Force Proposed-Rein-

terment of Dead Americans. PEKING, March 25 .- The foreign ministers seem utterly unable to agree as to the best method of policing the legation quarter. The proposition most favored by the majority and most complained of by the regular armies shall be detailed for the service under one officer connected with the allies. United States Special Commissioner Rockhill is one who objects to this plan, as is also the British minister, Sir Ernest Satow, who says that, though an international force is desirable, it would be better that the police detail should be composed of soldiers who are not liable to be called on when they are most useful. It is also undesirable, he thinks, that the comnected with the army, while the intention to make each legation practically an armed camp is a great mistake and is liable to cause friction, and it would be better far to make a general international district. Some of the ministers are seriously considering the advisability of asking their governments to reconsider the decision in favor of big legation guards as being liable not only to keep the court from returning to Peking, but also a continual source of danger in the dealings with the Chinese, a's It would be impossible to keep the guards entirely within the legation quarter, which

side the foreign settlement, they say, might cause another war. The time which the Russians have given the Chinese to sign the Manchurian agreement expires on Tuesday, and should the agreement not be signed then Russia will break off the negotiations. The agreement practically annexes Manchuria. Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang consulted this morning, but did not decide either to sign the convention or appeal to the powers. On behalf of China Li Hung Chang desires to express gratitude to America for her

condition Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang

insist upon, saying that otherwise it would

be impossible to guarantee order, especially

when the Chinese troops shall have re-

turned to Peking. One drunken soldier out-

position in the matter. The attitude of M. De Giers, the Russian minister, at the meeting of the foreign representatives is embarrassing and causes considerable annoyance. He either refuses to agree with the other ministers or holds

A committee will consider the question of China's ability as regards indemnity and the most practical methods for guaranteeing payment of indemnity to the powers. It is not thought likely, on account of Sir Robert Hart's increasing age and the gradual approach of feebleness, that he will continue long in charge of the imperial customs on behalf of the powers.

The body of Captain Riley and seven enlisted men which were buried at the Ameriof Agriculture this morning with military honors, General Chaffee and his entire staff for the United States about the middle of | and two children.

The signal corps has completed all arrangements and is awaiting transportation

China's Revenue Resources.

PEKING, March 25 .- The special committee of ministers appointed to consider the estion of China's ability to meet the inclaims is already well forward work of investigating the rethe managers of representative Chinese Calcutta. banks, many pawnbrokers and other Chinese financiers. The consular reports for a number of years have been closely read.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and Colder To-Day, with Northwesterly Winds.

Tuesday and Wednesday:

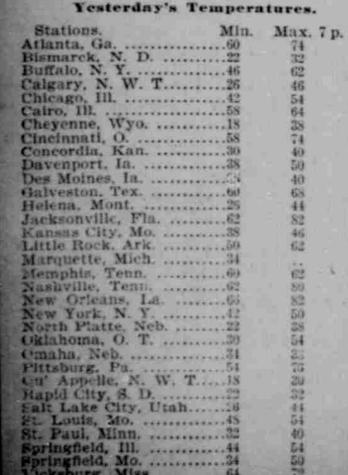
For Chio-Fair, except clearing in northeast portion on Tuesday; falling tempera- of the vessel. ture; brisk and high southwesterly winds, becoming northwesterly. Wednesday fair. For Indiana-Fair and colder on Tuesday; northwesterly winds. Wednesday fair. For Illinois-Fair Tuesday; colder in southeast portion; northwesterly winds, brisk on the lake. Wednesday fair.

Local Observations on Monday.

Bar, Ther, R.H. Wind, Weather, Pre. 7 a. m. .29.57 54 7 p. m. .29.56 55 75 N'west, Cloudy. 0.42 57 West, Clear. 0.00 Maximum temperature, 70; minimum tem-Following is a comparative statement of

the mean temperature and total precipitation for March 25: parture since March 1..... *41 Departure from normal Departure since Jan. 1.....-132

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self chooses to communicate the text of It now appears that from all sources the HANNA AND MITCHELL actual treaties and modifications. In the absence of the Japanese minister | 000,000 gold, derived from the land tax, the

China Must Sign at Once.

emphatically declined," says Dr. Morrison, to securing Korea. Our government, I be- | wiring to the Times from Peking on Sunlieve, is seriously considering the crisis. Its | day, "to grant an extension of the period for signing and further amending the Manchurian convention, which the Chinese court implored. Li Hung Chang continues to urge the expediency of immediate com- I know nothing about it, save what I have pliance. His hands were strengthened by heard and read the last few days. I have | Clerk T. S. Schuler, Conductor H. C. Sapp Count Von Buelow's statement in the not been consulted with regard to this and Brakeman Pat Jones, colored. Reichstag that the Anglo-German agree- | matter at all.' ment does not apply to Manchuria. There is some reason to doubt the bona fides of sent the following statement to Wilkesthe modified demands respecting Mongolia | barre to-day: "I have had no conference and Turkestan."

Killed While Giving Succor.

tributing relief to the starving villagers.

Affray at Tien-Tsin.

TIEN-TSIN, March 25 .- In an affray last | and did not return until 8 o'clock to-night. evening two members of the Welsh Fusilier Regiment and a member of the Victorian contingent, who were acting as policemen, were sabered and bayoneted. It is alleged that Germans were the principal culprits.

Outbreak in Korea.

LONDON, March 26 .- At Intechau, Korea, it was not coal." collisions have occurred between the people and missionary students, according to minority is one providing that men of the the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, and several students have been killed or wounded.

"Absolute Illusory."

spondent of the Daily Mail declares that the alleged modification of the Manchurian convention regarding Mongolia and Turkes- that Mr. Mitchell will not have an opportan is "absolutely illusory.

British Cruiser Ordered to Taku. HONG-KONG, March 25.-The British first-class cruiser Terrible has been ordered from Amoy to Taku.

JOHNSON STOLE \$195,000.

Stockholders of Niles First National Bank Assessed 100 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, March 25.-Controller of from the receiver in charge on the condi- | families. These escaped serious injury. tion of the failed First National Bank of | The fourth house was occupied by Capt. public at present, but it is stated that the ndications are that the defalcation of the cashier will amount to about \$195,000. Controller Dawes to-day decided to assess the of D. McRae. Mr. McRae was caught bestockholders of the bank 100 per cent, of their holdings.

\$195,000 and that stockholders will be as- parent serious injury. sessed 100 per cent, on their holdings has greatly agitated the people. Men who were wealthy a few weeks ago will be impoverished. Stockholders are talking of joining depositors. Who have had a movement on foot for several days to take legal action against the Board of Bank Directors.

MEMPHIS BROKER SHOT.

A. W. Hogin Probably Fatally Wounded by a Woman.

Dorris Noble on Beale street to-night. The ball entered Hogin's abdomen, and the can legation were removed to the Temple | wound is thought to be fatal. The woman was apparently liquor mad and was being accused of drunkenness by Hogin. Dorris accompanying the remains. The body of Noble is a well-known character in Meman American marine, which was buried at phis, and at one time slashed a woman al-Russian legation, will be removed on | most fatally. She was arrested to-night. Tuesday with the same honors. The bodies | Hogin is fifty-three years old, prominent in will leave on board the transport Egbert | social and business circles, and has a wife

MARINE HAPPENINGS.

The overdue German steamer Brutus, from Scotland for Kiel, has been lost with

The North German Lloyd line has given the Vulcan Shipbuilding Company, of Stettin, contracts for the construction of three

on Saturday night grounded in a dangerous position at Achipur sands, seventeen miles below Calcutta in the river Hooghli. while bound from Calcutta for Liverpool, customs, has been examined, as have also has been towed off and has returned to

> The Austrian steamer Styria, Captain Usigovitch, which ran ashore on French of men rushed to Mr. Lowe's residence and reef, Florida, Wednesday, is now full of made heroic efforts to rescue the buried water. Her cargo is phosphate, staves and | bodies. All of the telephone and electric cotton from Port Tampa and New Orleans, | car line wires were down and it was im-Several boats arrived from the wreck to- possible to communicate with the people day with cotton, which is being stored down town. Medical aid was not secured at Key West.

The schooner Florence, from Port of Spail for Philadelphia, is now more than a month overdue, and it is feared the vessel has been lost with all on board. The Florence, in command of Captain Chand-WASHINGTON, March 25 .- Forecast for ler, sailed from Port of Spain on Jan. 24 with a cargo of asphalt. Since that date | street, ocupied by Mrs. Clarke and Hugh she has not been spoken. J. C. Winston & Co., of Portland, Me., are the owners

The new United States torpedo boat Tin-

gey was successfully launched at the Columbian iron works in Baltimore yesterday. Miss Anna Truxton Craven, of Tuckahoe, N. Y., granddaughter of the late Rear Admiral Craven, christened the boat. The Tingey is built of mill steel, is 175 feet long and seventeen feet beam. She is expected to steam twenty-six knots an hour and earries three torpedo tubes and as many rapid-fire guns. Her keel was laid in 1899. The Anchor line steamer Britannia, which has arrived at New York from Mediterranean ports, is detained at quarantine owing to a case of smallpox among the steerage passengers. The patient was sick There are 651 steerage passengers and 63 crew on board. All the steerage passengers have been vaccinated. One hundred and twenty-two steerage passengers who were patient were transferred to Hoffman island for observation. The patient was removed to-day to the Smallpox Hospital at North

weather March 21 and 22, commencing with | leveled. a westerly gale, which changed to the northwest, blowing a hard gale with fierce hail squalls and high seas. The seas Houses and fences were leveled to the boarded the ship and caused considerable damage about the deck and to the boat bodies had been recovered. A number of chocks. Several passengers were bruised | injured persons and a big property loss are and some sustained injuries demanding reported. the attention of the ship's surgeon. An Irish girl, one of the steerage passengers, became so alarmed at the violent pitching and tossing of the steamer that she be-Sawicki, a Roumanian, committed suicide

Brothers island.

Movements of Steamers.

YOKOHAMA, March 25.-Salled: Empress ragasaki and Hiogo, for Vancouver. chal, on a Mediterranean cruise. LIVERPOOL, March 25 .- Arrived: Tauric,

by hanging. His body was buried at sea,

MARSEILLES, March 25 .- Arrived: Bolivia, from New York, for Leghorn, Naples,

a comparative statement of the issues in- \$14,000,000, and the foreign customs, which OHIO SENATOR AND MINE WORKERS' LEADER IN NEW YORK.

> tle the Anthracite Trouble-Latter Visits Morgan's Office.

whether his presence here had any connection with coal strike rumors, the senator

President Mitchell, of the Miners' Union, president or coal operator. Contrary to knocked unconscious by lightning. Columrepots, we, the committee, did not come bus experienced a heavy rain and windto New York in response to any invitation. | storm, but there was no serious damage. TIEN-TSIN, March 25 .- Inquiries show | Se far as I know, the miners have not, up that the Rev. J. Stonehouse, of the London to this time, been offered or granted any concessions. Of course, we all hope to these dispatches yesterday, was killed by most urgent efforts to that end. We came brigands fourteen miles east of Tien-Tsin, I to New York for the purpose of holding a was murdered at the ferry at the village | conference, if possible, and in doing so we of Whangalo, on the Hun-Hox river, ten | are simply carrying out the wishes exmiles east of Tungan-Hsien, while dis- pressed by a majority of those who attended the late conference at Hazelton." John Mitchell, with his colleagues, John

> They would not say where they had been when they got back. Senator Hanna, when seen to-night, again stated positively that he was not here to settle anything concerning the proposed coal strike and would not discuss the question in any way. When asked what was the reason for his visit to Mr. Morgan's

office during the day he said, dryly: "Well,

Fahy, Thomas Duffy and T. D. Nicholls,

The Herald to-morrow will say that the perators of the anthracite coal mines and the executive officers of those railroads that are largely interested in that industry are unanimous in the opinion that there "Absolute Illusory."

to be equal positiveness in the assertion that as an organization the United Mine LONDON. March 26.—The Peking corre-Workers will not be recognized by the

It seems to be pretty well established tunity of holding any conference as the representative of the United Mine Workers with any of the anthracite coal operators or any person representing them. The op erators are averse to giving any recognition o the organization. Several of the railroad officials received dispatches from the coal region to-day, and the recipients said that all were of the same tenor-that the miners were anxious to avert a strike.

DEAD AND DYING.

(CONCLUDED FROM FIRST PAGE.) occupied by the family of Edward Mann. These were rescued badly bruised. third house was occupied by Roy McCulough and Charles R. Robinson and their N. D. Johnston and his daughter. They were caught in one corner of a room, the only part of the house left standing, and after the storm made their way out. The last house in the row was the property neath the wreck but escaped unhurt. Mrs. Hardwick, who lived in the same house, NILES, Mich., March 25.-The announce- was ill and in bed. She was buried under ment that the First National Bank is short | the ruins, but was rescued without ap-

MEDICAL STUDENT HIT. From Nineteenth to Twentieth streets, on Avenue L every house but one little tern from J. A. Van Hoose's residence. Minter's grocery store was literally picked up and tosed into Van Hoose's yard, his buggy to escape the rain. W. P. Dickinhad his arm broken, and J. H. Dethrow, a clerk, was injured on the head, though brokerage firms in the South, was shot by store were lifted and carried several yards away, leaving the floor, counters and heavy groceries intact.

The wind here seemed to dart upward and then strike the earth again at Twenty-seventh street, sparing buildings between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, but at Twenty-second street it struck with tremendous force, destroying all the small buildings in its path for half a mile and killing and injuring many people in its path. It struck a small house ground. The persons who lived there were fortunately absent. From Twentieth street the

plowed its way eastward through the block between Avenues H and I, tearing away the roofs of a number of residences smashing in windows, blowing down trees and fences. Crossing Thirtieth street it struck the residence of Robert J. Lowe at 815 South Thirtieth street, leveling it to Mr. Lowe and the nurse escaped with lars. No person was injured.

for at least one hour.

Mrs. Milam, mother of Mrs. Fred Grambs, who resided with Mr. and Mrs. Grambs on South Thirtieth street, was caught under some falling timbers and received severe injuries. The residence of Mrs. Peter Clarke, at Avenue H and Twenty-ninth Martin and family, was badly damaged, windows being broken and roofing torn away. P. C. Boatman's residence across the street from the Clarke residence, was almost demolished, but there were no casualties. The residence of J. K. Worthington, east of Thirtieth street, was blown away and one or two persons badly

IN THE SUBURBS. Continuing in an eastward direction, the storm swept everything in its path of seventy-five yards until it passed beyond the city limits and struck the Lakeview hill about Thirty-fourth street. There were no houses of any description in its path after it had passed the city limits, and consenearly all the voyage, but is convalescing. | quently there was no damage until it reached Avondale. On Faggot's hill, just south of Avondale, a number of persons were seriously injured and many houses quartered in the compartment with the badly damaged. The residence of Miller Hartsin was blown down and Mr. Hartsin, his wife, child and father-in-law were severely injured. Jennie Shelton and Mrs. J. J. Henden were also hurt and a number The Cunard line steamer Etruria, which of other persons suffered slight bruises. arrived at New York last night from Liv- Twelve houses were demolished and trees, erpool and Queenstown, encountered heavy outhouses and fences in the path were

Onward the tornado swept and at Irondale again repeated its work of destruction. ground, and up to this writing several Bessemer, Pratt City, Ensley, North Bir-

mingham and other suburban towns were visited by the storm, and in each much destruction was wrought, but no loss of life came demented. She is still very ill. A is reported. Many houses were demolished second-cabin passenger named Frederick at Pratt City, including a number of churches. At Powderly there was also much damage and destruction, and at Cleveland Mrs. George Hatt was struck by bas been done to the numerous dams and lightning and will probably die. A terrific rainstorm followed the wind to break up the gorge in the La Crosse river and greatly retarded the work of relief, within the city limits, which had threatened of Japan, from Hong-Kong. Shanghai, Mayor Drennan and many of the city of- to carry away the bridge between the North ficials were soon on the scene and a relief and South sides. A sixty-foot dam in the GENOA, March 25 .- Arrived: Prinzessen station was established at the corner of Root river at Hokah, Minn., was washed Victoria Luise, from New York, via Fun- avenue I and Twenty-fourth street. The away. private secretary of the mayor and the The village of Saukville has been cut in chief of police are keeping a record of spikes were put to work in rescuing per- citement runs high to-night and Port Washsons caught beneath the ruined buildings ington was appealed to for help. Families and afterward in rescuing property and are leaving their homes by the score, effects. Every horse and vehicle in town | Near Manitowoc the dam on the East GIBRALTAR, Mach 25.—Sailed: Trave, from Genoa and Naples, for New York.

COPENHAGEN, March 25.—Arrived: Norge, from New York.

Was engaged by persons anxious to view denly gave way, and it is estimated that the sudden overflow of water did damage to A. J. Lattimer, a brother, at Clinton, the remains of household effects to new York.

Norge, from New York.

pressed into the service. To-night a mass meeting of citizens was cellars are submerged. held, at which a relief fund was started and a temporary committee organized to take charge until to-morrow at noon, when the mayor will meet the citizens to take up the work at the head of a new committee. Several thousand dollars have already been subscribed and the necessary money to relieve the situation will be raised im-

Train Lifted from the Track.

COLUMBUS, Ga., March 25.-A mixed train was blown off the Central Georgia Railroad tracks, one mile east of Buena Vista, thirty-seven miles from Columbus, NEW YORK, March 25 .- Senator Hanna, late this afternoon, by a tornado. The train who is in town, visited several places in | consisted of an engine and tender, baggage LONDON, March 26 .- "M. De Glers has the financia. district to-day. When asked car, two coaches and twelve freight cars struck by the wind. The engine was lifted from the track, the tender was turned over, replied emphatically that it had none, "I the baggage car, two coaches and three freight cars were thrown on their sides. The rest of the train remained on the track. The following were slightly injured. Express Messenger J. W. Strickland, Mail Cussota, thirty miles south of this city, was visited by one of the heaviest wind and rainstorms known in years. The Primitive Baptist Church was blown down. with J. P. Morgan or any other railroad | Telegraph Operator W. M. English was

Damage at and Near Rome.

business houses and ruined their stocks. No fatalities have been reported. Six Kan. Northern lines of the Union Pacific left the Ashland House early this morning cotton mill and three barns belonging to Rounsaville & Brothers. Many head of live stock were killed. It is feared much injury has been done to fruit trees. The rivers are rising rapidly. Thousands of WIDOW OF P. S. BROOKS DEAD. feet of lumber are in danger of washing away and large forces of hands are at work moving it to places of safety.

Several Persons Reported Killed.

BUENA VISTA, Ga., March 25 .- A tornado struck the southern edge of this town to-night, doing considerable damage. Several persons are reported killed, among will be no strike ordered on April 1 in the | them the child of J. D. Harrell, Mrs. Har-Pennsylvania coal regions. There seemed rell, his wife, had her leg broken. Every and Bethune were also blown down, but gro cabins were blown down, one negro child of Ike Rushin being killed and several others seriously injured.

Killed by an Electric Bolt.

KINGSTON, Ga., March 25 .- A bolt of day, followed the stovepipe downwards and killed two girls, Jennie Bell Elliott and Jennie Goodwin, aged ten and thirteen years. Several others were shocked.

WRECKED BY STORM.

than a few bruises. The second house was | Fine Residence North of Elkhart-Waterspout of Large Size.

> Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELKHART, Ind., March 25.-Adamsville, Turner, of this city, and blew to pieces the farm residence of Frank Kerr, severely bruising Mrs. Kerr. Other property suffered considerably. An incident was a water spout of considerable size that rose from Christiana creek to a height of fully one hundred feet.

One Killed, One Fatally Hurt. KALAMAZOO, Mich., March 25 .- A cyof here, which wrecked a number of houses, uprooted trees, tore down tele-The home of Noah Tripp was rolled over for a distance of five rods, and Mrs. Tripp killing Dr. G. C. Chapman, who had left was completely buried under the debris She was found lying under the stove, and suffered injuries which will result fatally The house caught fire and was destroyed In Scott township one person is reported killed. The storm passed through Vickssion of the brain. He is not expected to burg and Scott's Station, both small towns, live. J. E. Minter, proprietor of the store, Going great damage. Nearly every build ing in the path of the storm was wrecked. Orchards were destroyed and fences are Hogin & Co., one of the most prominent | not seriously. The roof and sides of the | down everywhere. At Indian lake the wind formed a waterspout in crossing that body of water, and a large district on the east share was inundated.

Barn Wrecked, Cattle Killed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., March 25 which stands alone at the foot of St. Vin- I blown down and three cows killed, and recent Hospital hill, leveling it to the ports also give many other barns as unroofed. The Snyder mills, near Wayretown, was unroofed. All streams are very

Flour Mill Badly Damaged.

The British steamer City of Venice, which | the ground and instantly killing Mr. Lowe's | flour mill was badly damaged. Many barns four-weeks-old child and fatally crushing were blown down and some were struck Mrs. Lowe, who died within fifteen minutes | by fightning Many farmers are sending after being removed from the wreckage. in word of horses and cattle killed. The The cook was badly hurt and may die. | damage will reach several thousand dol-

Roofs Blown Off.

SANDUSKY, O., March 25 .- A severe windstorm passed over the western part of Erie county late to-day. The principal sufferer was the settlement of Mustasch, on the shore of Sandusky bay, where several roofs were blown from houses and trees were blown down. No one was injured so far as known. The storm did not touch Sandusky.

Cathedral Struck by Lightning. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 25 .- St Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral was destroyed by fire early to-day, resulting from a stroke of lightning. The loss is \$50,000, with \$20,000 insurance.

FLOODS IN WISCONSIN.

Milwaukee, Fond du Lac, LaCrosse

and Other Cities Eadly Damaged. MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 25 .- The heavy rains and thaw throughout Wisconsin for the past three days has caused high water in many places throughout the State, and several business firms have been compelled to suspend operations temporarily at least. Sheboygan, Oshkosh, Fond du Lac. Saukville and this city are having the worst experience. The flood in the Menominee river valley in this city is higher today than for years past and several of the factories are unable to operate. Piggsville, a Milwaukee suburb, is under water and the streets of the town are inundated. At Wauwatosa the river is threateningly high. At Black River Falls the Black river rose about eight feet to-day and is still rising, The ice is going out and damage to property will be heavy unless the waters re-

Fond du Lac reports an ice gorge has formed at Twelfth-street bridge, and it is feared the bridge will be holsted from its foundation. The river has overflowed its banks and is doing considerable damage along its course. Oshkosh reports the lowlands all covered with water, and on the road between there and Neenah the interurban track in many places is a foot or two under water, caus ing some delay to the incoming cars. At La Crosse the water in all the streams is rapidly rising and considerable damage

bridges by Ice gorges. Dynamite was used

two by the flood and the railway station in the head, killing her instantly. Lattifrom New York; Rhineland, from Philadel- | the dead and injured. Men with axes and | cannot be reached from either side. Ex- | mer then placed the weapon to his own

various undertaking establishments while in the village and two just south, were bad-every available ambulance in the city was ly damaged. The water is five feet deep on the main street of the village and all

SNOWBOUND TRAINS.

Passengers Tied Up in Western Nebraska, but Not Suffering.

OMAHA, Neb., March 25 .- Special telegrams from Ogallala, Neb., at noon state that the four passenger trains which were sidetracked at that place yesterday on account of the storm in western Nebraska are still held up by the drifts. The passengers are being cared for and are suffering for nothing. Two engines with employes and a rotary are stuck in a cut half a mile west of Ogallala which is full of drift snow, The snowstorm has abated somewhat, but the wind continues to blow. President Burt and party, whose car is attached to an eastbound train, are among the storm-bound unfortunates. Five freight trains are still stalled near North Platte. Union Pacific people say this is by far the heaviest snow of the season. The passenger train which left Omaha yesterday afternoon is still at Long Pine.

In a Blizzard's Grip.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 25.-Western Kansas and eastern Colorado are in the throes of a blizzard. Beginning Saturday night and continuing through Sunday and Sunday night, the worst snowstorm of the season visited that section. The trains on the Rock Island have been badly delayed. Saturday's flyer has been stuck in the snow at Brewster, Col., for twenty-four hours, ROME, Ga., March 25.-A rain and hail- and a number of trains are being held at storm to-day blew in the fronts of several Goodland, Kan. The Chicago trains are being run over the Union Pacific tracks from Limon Junction, Col., to Manhattan, inches of rain fell in four hours, according and Burlington and Missouri river are blockaded with snow. The work of clearto the weather observer. At Chambers, six blockaded with snow. The work of clear-miles from Rome, the gale blew down J. ing the tracks is going on satisfactorily. A. Rounsaville's home and wrecked the and by midnight the lines will undoubtedly

Sensational Assault on Senator Charles Sumner Recalled.

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 25 .- The widow of Preston S. Brooks, who caned Charles Sumner in the United States Senate, died here last night

Charles Sumner, United States senator most unsparing, most feared and most nobody was killed. Fifteen or twenty ne- hated opponent of slavery in Congress when the Missouri compromise was repealed in 1854 and in the contest over the admission of Kansas in 1858, in a speech on "The Crime Against Kansas," he sharply censured Senator Butler, of South Carolina. Two days afterward, on May 22, 1856. as Senator Sumner was seated at his desk in the Senate chamber, when the Senate was not in session, he was assaulted by Preston S. Brooks, a representative from South Carolina and a nephew of Senator Butler. Brooks approached the seated senator and, without any warning, struck him repeatedly on the head with a heavy cane. Senator Sumner strove to rise, and in so doing wrenched his desk from the floor, but the repeated blows rained on him rendered him unconscious and he fell. Friends of Brooks, with drawn revolvers prevented any interference. The event was characterized by

George Lewis as "the beginning of the civil war." A committee of the House reported in favor of the expulsion of Brooks but the resolution failed of the necessary two-thirds vote to pass. Later, in a debate in the House, a dispute with Anson Burlingame, of Massachusetts, led to a challenge to a duel by Brooks, which was accepted. Canada was to be the place of meeting. But Brooks failed to appear, giving as his eason that he would have to pass 'through the enemy's country." He resigned from Congress, but was unanimously re-elected. Senator Sumner was practically incapacitated from public service for nearly four years. The incident caused intense excitement in all parts of the country. Brooks received costly canes and other testimonials from many places in the South. He died in January, 1857.

Charlotte Mary Yonge, Novelist. LONDON, March 25.-Charlotte Mary Yonge, the author, died yesterday in Winchester. She was born on Aug. 11, 1823.

Miss Yonge was born at Otterbourne Hants, Aug. 11, 1823, the daughter of William Crawley Yonge and Francis Mary Bargus. She was educated at home by her parents. For thirty years she was editor of the Monthly Packet, during which time she did a vast quantity of literary work. She was the author of numerous novels. the most prominent of which was "The Heir of Redcliffe," but besides fiction she was a hard worker on other literary lines and her works include a "History of Christian Names," "Cameos of History of England," "Life of Bishop Paterson," Patriots of Palestine" and "John Kemole's Parishes." She was an ardent amateur botanist and conchologist. She lived at Elderfield, Otterbourne, Winchester, where she was well known for her parish work.

Joseph W. Dwyer.

NEW YORK, March 25.-Joseph W. Dwyer, a prominent real estate man and coal mine owner of Raton, N. M., died today at Millburn, N. J. Mr. Dwyer, with his wife, had attended the inauguration ceremonies at Washington and contracted a severe cold, which developed into asthma while he was visiting friends at Millburn The body will be taken to Raton for interment. Mr. Dwyer was born in Sharon, O.,

and was sixty-nine years of age. The Rt. Rev. Dr. John Sweeney.

ST. JOHN, N. B., March 25.-Rt. Rev. Dr. John Sweeney, bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of St. John, is dead, aged eighty years. Bishop Sweeney leaves many institutions and churches built under his direction as monuments to his career.

Charles S. May.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., March 25.-Charles S. May, lieutenant governor of Michigan from 1863 to 1865, and an eminent member of the Michigan bar, died suddenly to-day, at his home, Island View, Guli lake, from heart failure, aged seventy-five.

NEBRASKA'S DEADLOCK.

Mr. Hanna Says It May Lead to Popular Election of Senators.

NEW YORK, March 26 .- The Times says: "United States Senator Hanna was interviewed last night on matters of public interest. He said: 'So far as I am personvote of the people. Still, I can see that an amendment to the Constitution providing for popular election of senators will be encouraged by obstinate deadlocks in Leg-Islatures, as in Nebraska and Delaware. The trouble with the present method of electing members of the United States Senate is that the will of the people, as expressed at the polis, is sometimes de-layed or held up indefinitely. The deadlock in Nebraska makes every Republican indignant. The party there is clearly denied the legitimate fruits of its victory.' "Concerning the Chinese question, Senstor Hanna said: 'The educated Chinese believe in the United States. Too muci praise cannot be accorded to Secretary Hay for the great wisdom and diplomacy he displayed in handling the Chinese ques-

COLD-BLOODED DEED.

Charles Lattimer Kills His Wife in Her Store and Shoots Himself.

went into his wife's millinery store, at No. 506 West Sixty-third street, to-day, walked up behind Mrs. Lattimer, who was examining a hat, preparatory to delivering it to a customer, and without a word shot her head and fired, inflicting a fatal wound, The shooting is said to have been the out-



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WANTS OF PORTO RICANS.

Money, Free Trade, Annexation and a Protective Tariff for Coffee.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, March 25 .- At a meeting of the San Juan Chamber of Commerce it was decided to present a petition ally concerned. I am opposed to the elec- to President McKinley, through Governor tion of United States senators by the direct | Allen, asking for a loan, for free trade, for annexation and for a protective tariff on coffees entering the United States. The president of the Chamber of Commerce, ooking upon these requests as unreasonable, has resigned. One thousand emigrants will sail on Wednesday.

The United States special service vessel Mayflower, Commander D. Kennedy, sailed for Navassa island, off the west coast of Hayti, this afternoon, under orders from Washington. No information was procurable as to the object in view.

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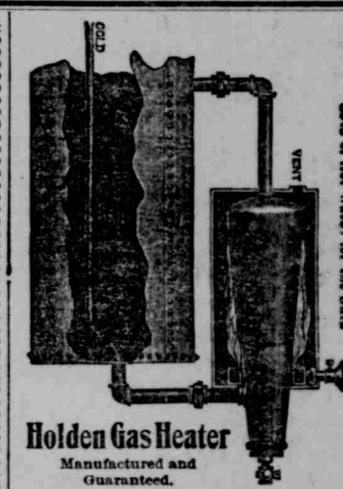
Bank at Somerset, O., Robbed by Masked Men This Morning.

COLUMBUS, O., March 26.-A telephone message from Somerset, Perry county, received at the police station at 2 a. m. stated that six masked men had ridden into the city and blown open the safe in the local CHICAGO, March 25.—Charles Lattimer bank and secured \$15,000 in money and a 233 & 235 Massachusetts Avenue

Threw Away His Money.

RICHMOND, Va., March 25.-H. Bohler, en route from Louisiana to sail for his old home in Germany, became crazy on the train and tore up and threw away \$2,500 for which he had just sold his farm near Shreveport. He had to be put under recome of a quarrel which took place about | Shreveport. He had to be put under re-a month ago. Mr. and Mrs. Lattimer had | straint, and on reaching Charlottesville was placed in jail.

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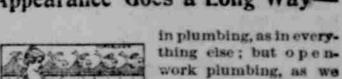
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